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For: ACTIVE IMMUNIZATION AGAINST
ANGIOGENESIS-ASSOCIATED ANTIGENS

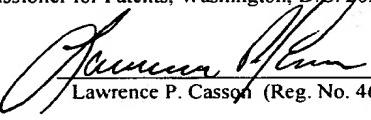
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 17, 2001, setting a one-month
response period, Applicants elect the species which comprises the limitations:

- 1) immunogens comprised of antigens which are native; 2) antigen presenting cells; and
- 3) KDR. A petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 (a) for a three (3) month extension is enclosed
herewith and extends the period for response to August 17, 2001. The petition is
accompanied by the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(c).

REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed June 11, 2000, the Applicants were required, upon
election of the invention of Group I or Group II, to further elect a species. Applicants elected
Group I, directed to Claims 1-30 and 56, drawn to methods of inhibiting angiogenic